

## EDITORIAL COMMENT.

When we say Baby cuts his teeth  
We are a foolish bunch of mutts,  
For Baby's teeth are underneath,  
It is his little gums he cuts.  
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Senator Beckham presided over  
the senate for a short while Monday,  
an unusual distinction for a new  
Senator.

Gov. McCreary has arranged to  
spend much of his time in Lexing-  
ton, where he has formed a business  
connection.

Former United States Marshal  
James Blackburn, brother to Sena-  
tor Joe Blackburn, died Tuesday  
morning at Buffalo, N. Y., and will  
be brought to Frankfort for burial.

Judge E. C. O'Rear, of Frank-  
fort, and Phil H. Brown, the colored  
editor of this city, are announced as  
candidates for delegate at large to  
the Republican convention.

There was a mix-up of names in a  
double elopement from Lyon county  
to Metropolis, Ill. John Doom mar-  
ried Janie Hildreth and Porter  
married Lally Doom. It seems  
that one of the brides met her Doom  
and the other became a perfect  
Lady. Sounds like Harry Sommers,  
but the temptation was too great.

President Wilson has dismissed  
three midshipmen from the Annapo-  
lis Naval Academy at the request of  
the Secretary of the Navy Daniels.  
The dismissed cadets were all impli-  
cated in the hazing last spring and  
had been placed on probation. They  
were dismissed for minor infractions  
of the rules while on probation.

## BANQUET AT LATHAM

Hundred or More Citizens  
Meet Y. M. C. A. Workers  
of State.

9 TO 12 TUESDAY NIGHT

A Number of Good Addresses  
Were Made By The  
Visitors.

More than 100 leading citizens of  
the city and county were present at  
a dinner at Hotel Latham Tuesday  
night, as guests of the State workers  
of the Y. M. C. A., who are in the  
city to arouse a keener interest in  
this work in the state.

The invocation was pronounced by  
Rev. A. S. Anderson, of Westmin-  
ster Presbyterian church, and the  
dinner was served in four courses.

An after-dinner program of  
speeches was carried out with Chas.  
M. Meacham as toastmaster.

Mr. C. A. Tevebaugh, State City  
Work Secretary, was the first speak-  
er and explained the scope of the Y.  
M. C. A. work in the state, in a  
stereopticon lecture, throwing many  
pictures on a screen on the wall.  
Buildings and group scenes from  
many cities were shown.

Mr. C. A. Harris, State Boys'  
Work Secretary, was the next  
speaker and entertainingly described  
the many ways in which boys were  
benefited by the Y. M. C. A.

Mr. C. C. Camden, county work  
secretary, next discussed the county  
work and said that Hopkins county

Ky., was the first county in Ken-  
tucky, to have a county Y. M. C. A.  
Mr. P. L. Corbin, Secretary of Re-  
ligious Activities, followed with a  
discussion of his branch of the work,  
one of the greatest fields of useful-  
ness.

The principal address of the even-  
ing was by Mr. J. L. Harmon, prin-  
cipal of the Bowling Green Busi-  
ness University. Mr. Harmon came  
as a substitute for Mr. M. O.  
Hughes and his speech was a splen-  
did treatment of all phases of Y. M.  
C. A. work. He told of its many  
practical benefits in Bowling Green  
and other cities. He was a most  
entertaining speaker and both elo-  
quence and humor characterized his  
address.

Mr. Alvan H. Clark as a repre-  
sentative of the young men, and  
Mr. Chas. E. Barker, of the county,  
were called upon and made enter-  
taining speeches in closing.

Mr. Tevebaugh before the benedi-  
ction was pronounced by Dr. Lewis  
Powell designated from those pres-  
ent a committee of 15 or 20 gentle-  
men who agreed to assist the visit-  
ing officials in a canvass of the city  
to raise several hundred dollars  
asked for from Hopkinsville for the  
help of the Y. M. C. A. work in the  
state.

### Underwent Operation.

Miss Jennie Coleman, of Gracey,  
was brought to the Jennie Stuart  
Memorial Hospital Tuesday morning  
suffering with appendicitis of long  
standing. She underwent an opera-  
tion the same day that was entirely  
successful and her condition is very  
satisfactory.

### Success Assured.

The fund for a Hospital in Clarks-  
ville has reached \$5,400 of that \$10,-  
000 required, which was raised in a  
brief canvass.

## BATTLE IN GREECE

Effort to Escape Becoming  
Involved Seems to Be  
in Vain.

NEXT GREAT BATTLE THERE

Germany Wants to Know if  
Entente Powers Have Not  
Violated Neutrality.

London, Dec. 15.—The next big  
battle of the war probably will be  
fought in Greece, despite the efforts  
of the Hellenic king and govern-  
ment to save their country from the  
horrors of war.

The British and French forces have  
made good their retirement from  
the Vardar valley, and are approach-  
ing Saloniki, where reinforcements  
are being landed, while reports re-  
ceived in Paris and Rome say that  
the Bulgarians have crossed the  
Greek frontier in pursuit. Reports  
of this action by the Bulgarians  
came somewhat as a surprise, as it  
had been thought that such a move  
by them would provoke the Greeks,  
and that consequently if the entente  
allies are followed at all the task  
would be allotted to the Austrians  
and Germans.

Greece's situation diplomatically  
has been complicated by the request  
of Germany to know whether the  
Athens cabinet does not look upon  
the use of Greek territory by the  
entente allies as a breach of her neu-  
trality, and this inquiry is consid-  
ered to foreshadow German participa-

tion in the pursuit. It has again  
been reported that the Italians have  
landed an army on the Albania coast  
to go to the assistance of the Serbs  
and Montenegrins.

### MORE FIGHTING IN GALLIPOLI.

There has been more fighting on  
the Gallipoli peninsula. The Turks  
here claim to have repulsed an at-  
tack against their left wing at Sed-  
dul Bahr. The Turkish official ac-  
counts say nothing new has occurred  
at Kut-El-Amara, where the Turks  
are operating against the British  
who retired from the Bagdad region.  
This is taken in military circles here  
as an admission by the Turks that  
their attacks have failed.

The previous reports of the losses  
the Turks inflicted on the British  
when the British retired down the  
Tigris river are declared in private  
information now reaching London to  
have been exaggerated. The three  
vessels which they captured turn  
out to have been a tug-boat and two  
barges.

The Italians are still hammering  
away at the Austrian positions around  
Gorizia. The town of Gorizia itself  
has again been bombarded, Austrian  
officers who have been through many  
big battles on the eastern front de-  
scribe the Italians artillery fire as  
more terrific and continuous than  
any they have previously experienced.

The appointment of Gen. Sir Hor-  
ace Smith-Dorrien to the supreme  
command of the forces operating in  
East Africa means that the British  
are taking steps in an endeavor to  
clear the Germans out of the only  
colony that remains to them, except  
a small part of the Kameruns. The  
Germans are in strong force in East  
Africa, but Gen. Smith-Dorrien,  
with the army that is being raised in  
South Africa, the troops who are  
already there and those who are go-  
ing from home, hopes to complete  
his new job in short order. The  
commander, like the men under him,  
is experienced in African warfare.

## BREED OF CATTLE

For County Discussed By The  
Crop Improvement Asso-  
ciation.

INTERESTING MEETING HELD

Several Interesting Topics Dis-  
cussed By Leading Farmers  
Tuesday Afternoon.

Tuesday afternoon at H. B. M. A.  
rooms an interesting meeting of the  
Christian County Crop Improvement  
Association was held.

Jas. A. McKenzie, S. L. Cowherd,  
M. A. Mason, B. G. Nelson, H. L.  
Minty, David Smith and A. M. Casey,  
county agent, all took an active  
part in the discussions.

Mr. Casey advocated a cattle  
breeders' association, adopting a  
breed suitable for the county as a  
whole, a breed that would be adapted  
to North Christian and would pro-  
duce good milk for the farmer's  
family and raise a good calf besides  
so that South Christian could find  
feeders in Christian county, thereby  
keeping the money formerly spent  
elsewhere to a large extent in the  
county. Polled Durhams were sug-  
gested, but no decision was arrived  
at.

Mr. McKenzie moved that presi-  
dents of all farmers' clubs be made  
members of the crop improvement  
association. A discussion followed  
as to how the Crop Improvement  
Association could help the farmers  
get money at a lower rate and on  
long time.

**Anderson's**  
"SATISFACTION OR YOUR MONEY BACK"

# ONLY 7 SHOPPING DAYS---THEN XMAS

The afternoons will be especially busy. Let us again suggest, SHOP EARLY IN THE DAY---shop early in the week. Hundreds have a good start already, but hundreds are just beginning. Why not make out a complete list of those to be remembered at Christmas, then come and choose leisurely and carefully. Bring your gift list with you to-day.

## Here Are a Few Suggestions:

COAT SUITS—Ladies' and Misses Coat Suits greatly reduced for the holidays \$9.90 to \$25.00

COATS—Ladies' and Misses' Coats. Just received a new line this week and are offering them at nearly half of the original price. \$10.00 to \$25.00

BATH ROBES—The most complete line of Men's, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Bath Robes, all bright colors, some with slippers to match. 50c to \$10.00

WAISTS—Ladies' Crepe de Chine Waists in White, Flesh, Maize and Navy, at \$1.98 to \$12.50

SKATING SETS—The season's latest craze, both solid and combination colors. \$1.00 to \$2.00

FURS—Nothing is more acceptable than a nice set of Furs or an odd muff. We have most anything you may wish, at \$3.00 to \$75.00

MOTOR VEILS—All colors. \$1.50 to \$5.00

BOUDOIR CAPS—Made in our millinery department of beautiful shades of ribbon. \$1.00

UNTRIMMED SHAPES—Offered for our holidays at Half-Price

OSTRICH PLUMES—Would make a very pretty gift indeed; regular \$5.00 and \$6.00 values. \$1.98

UMBRELLAS—Good quality silk Mission Silver or Gold handles. \$2.50 to \$8.00

HANDKERCHIEFS—Never before in the history of our business did we ever have such a display of Gent's and Ladies' Handkerchiefs, also a very attractive line for children. Everything you would want in linen and crepe-de-chine, neat patterns and daintily embroidered; all prices, ranging from 5c to \$1.00

GLOVES—All kinds of Ladies' Kid Gloves, Black with white stitching, white with black stitching, solid colors; Prices from \$1.25 to \$1.75

SILK HOSE—Fancy silk Hose in stripes and plaids. At \$1.00 One box of Phoenix Guaranteed Hose, 4 in a box. \$3.00 Lily of France Silk Hose at \$1.00 to \$1.50

SILK SOX—Men's Black, Navy, Grey, White, Tan Guaranteed Silk Hose, 4 in a box \$2.00

BATH TOWELS—Large size in deep colored borders, assorted colors, also in wide stripes, makes a very useful and attractive gift. 25c to \$1.00

LADIES' PURSES—Complete line of Ladies' Purses, containing small mirrors, all the new styles. 50c to \$5.00

FUR CAPS—Men's and Boys'. Made to pull down, heavily lined. \$3.00 and \$4.00

MUFFLERS—Big assortment of silk mufflers, ranging in prices from 50c to \$2.00

TIES—Extensive line of Men's Ties. Make your selection before the stock is picked over. 50c

COMBINATION SETS—Men's Tie and Sox; Tie and Glove Sets at \$1.00 to \$2.50

SWEATERS—Full line of all wool Sweaters for men, ladies, misses and children; all sizes and colors, prices range from 50c to \$6.50